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LADIES COLUMN.

Susan's Dark Horse.

Probably the meanest piece of cold-blooded deception ever practiced on a woman occurred out in Western Adair county the other day. It seems that the belle of that important suburb of our municipality is a Miss Susan Smiley, and whom a vigorous rumor, kept in circulation by her less favored sisterhood, credited with having a desperate little flirt in fact what Billy Rice, the minstrel, used to call a "false-hearted croaky." At all events her affections were of sufficiently indefinite quality to cause her two most favored visitors to look upon each other with the most vindictive feelings common to hated rivals. These gentlemen—who are respectively a city hall clerk, with eye glasses and freckles, named Pluff, and a red-headed dry goods manipulator called Diggs—occupied the intervals devoted to gloomily sitting each other out three evenings a week to fruitless attempts to discover which of the two was really the coming man in the matrimonial race, so to speak.

Last Thursday night Miss Smiley, in response to a business-like ring, admitted a middle-aged party with a black beard, and wearing blue goggles and a long-tailed tailer.

"I am taking the census, mum," he said, opening the book on the piano and getting out some blanks, "just look sharp, please, and answer the necessary questions."

Miss Smiley trembled a little, as women always do for some reason when talking to a government officer, and said she'd try.

"Lem me see—your name is Smiley, I believe—first name?"

"Susan."

"Middle name?"

"Haven't got any, sir."

"Come now, young woman, no prevarication. Are you sure you haven't got a middle name somewhere, and you are trying to conceal it?"

"No, sir, indeed I haven't," said the young lady, turning very pale.

"You'd better not, mum. The penalty is twenty-five years at hard labor."

"Gracious me!"

"Fact, mum. Now, then, let's see what's next. Ah! yes—how often married?"

"Not once yet."

"Ahem! Going to be, I s'pose? Been asked, eh?"

"Oh, yes, sir; several times."

"Call it six times," said the census man, making an entry. "What's that, Ah, yes—your back hair false?"

"M—must I answer that?"

"Of course you must. Don't trifle with the United States government, mum. Come now—"

"Well, it's sorter; that is to say, kinder—"

"That'll do; we'll call it mixed—Teeth Sound?"

"Yes, sir!" with much emphasis.

"Don't get excited. Let's see—I'll put your age down as 25. The United States never allows us to take a woman's age on oath. They will lie, can't help it, I guess."

"I'm just 18. I don't care whether or the government likes it or not, said the citizeness emphatically.

"Of course, of course," they all said that. Pay attention, please. What size corset?"

"Eh?"

"Most answer, mum. Remember the penalty. How many inches around the waist?"

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A Child's Dream of a Star.

There was once a child, and he strolled about a good deal and thought of a number of things. He was a boy, who was a child, too, and always his constant companion. These two used to wonder all day long. They wondered at the beauty of the flowers; they wondered at the height and blueness of the sky; they wondered at the depth of the bright water; they wondered at the goodness and power of God, who made the lovely world.

They used to say to one another, "Suppose all the children of the world were to die, would the flowers and the water and the sky be sorry? For," said they, "the buds are the children of the flowers, and the little playful streams that gambol down the hillside are the children of the waters; and the smallest bright specks, playing at hide and seek in the sky all night, must surely be the children of the stars; and they would all be grieved to see their playmates, the children of men, no more."

There was one clear star that used to come out in the sky before the rest, near the church spire and over the graves. It was large and more beautiful, they thought, than all the others, and every night they watched for it, standing hand in hand at the window. Whoever saw it first cried out: "I see the star."

And often they cried out both together, knowing so well when it would rise, and when the stars grew to be such friends with it that they looked out once again to bid it goodnight, and when they were turning round to sleep they would say: "I see the star."

But while she was still very young—oh, very, very young—the sister dropped, and came to be so weak that she could no longer stand in the window at night; and the brother looked sadly out by himself, and when he saw the star turned round to the patient, pale face on the bed: "I see the star," then a smile would come upon his face and a little weak voice used to say: "God bless my brother and the star!"

And so the time came, all too soon, when the child looked out alone, and when there was no face on the bed; and when there was a little grave among the graves not far below, and when the star made long rays down towards him as he saw it through his tears.

Now these rays were so bright and they seemed to make such a beautiful shining way from earth to heaven, that when the child went to his solitary bed, he dreamed about the star, and dreamed that lying where he was, he saw a train of people taken up that shining way by angels. And the star opening showed him a great world of lights, where many more such angels waited to receive them.

All these angels who were waiting turned their beaming eyes up on the people who were carried up to the long rows in which they stood, and fell upon the people's necks, and kissed them tenderly, and went away with them down avenues of light, and were so happy that they did not know where they were.

But there were many angels who did not go with them, and among them one he knew.

His sister's angel's lingered near the entrance of the star and said to the leader among those who had brought the people hither:

"Is my brother come?"

And he said "No."

Then she turning hopefully away when the child stretched out his arms and said, "Oh, sister, I am here! Take me!" And then she turned her beaming eyes up on him, and was night; and the star was shining into his room, making long rays down towards him as he saw it through his tears.

From that hour forth the child looked out upon the star as on the home he was to